

## QUERIES AND ANSWERS.

### WANTED, ANCESTORS OF GENERAL JOHN M'CAUSLAND.

When the First Bicycle Was Invented. Who Wrote "Aux Italiennes"—Words of Kentucky Belle.

#### Can Our Readers Give It?

Will you kindly inform me in regard to the ancestors of the late Confederate General John M'Cauley? I have been looking up the M'Cauley family in Maine, and there is a tradition that one of the family went South a century or so ago. I thought it possible that General M'Cauley might be a descendant of this one. If you cannot aid me, kindly refer me to some one who can. I have an impression that General M'Cauley was a Virginian.

O. B. CLASON, Gardner, Me. As we are unable to furnish the information desired, we have a correspondent on the part of any subscriber or reader who can do so. In the meantime we suggest to Mr. Clason to address a letter of inquiry to "The Postmaster, Point Pleasant, West Virginia."

Who Wrote It? Can you tell me who wrote the poem "Aux Italiennes"? R. E. C. Robert Bulwer Lytton was the author of the poem.

What Surrender? We have received a communication requesting us to publish the words of "The Surrender."

As there have been a number of surrenders during the course of time, we are not able to be the charge of stupidity if we ask "Which one?"

Kentucky Belle. In response to a score of requests, we publish below Constance Fenimore Woolson's poem "Kentucky Belle."

Summer of '63, sir, and Conrad had gone away.

Gone to the county town, sir, to sell our first load of hay; We lived in the log-house yonder, poor as ever you've seen, Rooster then was a baby, and I was only nineteen.

Conrad, he took the oxen, but he left Kentucky Belle; How much we thought of Kentucky—I couldn't begin to tell. Came from the Blue Grass country; my father gave her to me When I rode north with Conrad, away from the Tennessee.

Conrad lived in Ohio, a German he is, you know; The house stood in broad corn-fields, stretching on, row after row; The old folks made me welcome; they were kind as kind could be; But I kept longing, longing for the hills of Tennessee.

Oh! for a sight of water, the shadowed slope of a hill; Clouds that hang of the summit; a wind that never is still; But the level land went stretching away to meet the sky, Never a rise from North to South, to rest the weary eye!

From East to West, no river to shine out under the moon; Nothing to break a shadow in the yellow afternoon. Only the breathless sunshine, as I looked out, all forlorn; Only the "rustle," "rustle," as I walked among the corn.

When I fell sick with pining, we didn't wait any more, But moved away from the corn-lands, out to the river shore; The Tuscawarra, it's called, sir; off there a hill, you know, like it next best to the Tennessee.

I was at work that morning; some one came riding like mad; Over the bridge and on the road; Farmer House's little lad; Bare-back he rode; he had no hat; he hardly stopped to say: "Morgan's men are coming, Frau; they're galloping on this way."

"I'm sent to warn the neighbors; he isn't a mile behind; He sweeps up all the horses, every horse that he can find; Morgan, Morgan, the raider, and Morgan's terrible men; With bowie knives and pistols, are galloping up the glen."

The lad rode down the valley, and I stood still at the door; The baby laughed and prattled, playing with spoons on the floor; Kentucky was out in the pasture; Conrad, my man, was gone; Near, nearer, Morgan's men were galloping, galloping on!

Sudden I picked up baby, and ran to the pasture bare; "Kentucky!" I called—"Kentucky!" She knew me ever so far; I led her down to the gully that turns down there to the right; And tied her to the bushes—her head was just out of sight.

As I ran back to the log-house, at once there came a sound; The ring of hoofs, galloping hoofs—trembling over the ground; Came into the tunkie out from the White Woman Glen; Morgan, Morgan, the raider, and Morgan's terrible men.

As near they drew and nearer, my heart beat fast in alarm; But I still stood in the door-way, with baby on my arm. They came; they passed; with spur and whip in haste they sped along; Morgan, Morgan, the raider, and his band, six hundred strong.

Wearily they looked and faded, riding through night and through day; Pushing on East to the river, many miles away; To the border-strip where Virginia runs up into the West, And ford the upper Ohio before they could stop to rest.

On like the wind they hurried, and Morgan rode in advance; Bright were his eyes, like live coals, as he gave me a sideways glance. And I was just breathing freely, after my choking pain; When the last of the troopers suddenly drew his rein.

Frightened I was to death, sir, I scarce could look in his face As he asked for a drink of water, and glanced around the place. I gave him a cup, and he smiled—"twas only a boy, you see; Faint and worn, with dim blue eyes; and he'd sailed on the Tennessee."

Only sixteen he was, sir; a fond mother's only son; Off and away with Morgan before his life had begun! Dawn drops stood on his temples; oxen were in the field; and I thought me of the mother waiting down in the South.

Oh! pluck was he to the backbone, and clear grit through and through; Boasted and bragged like a trooper; but the big words wouldn't do: The boy was dying, sir, dying, as plain as plain could be; Worn out by his ride with Morgan up from the Tennessee.

But when I told the lad that I, too, was from the South, Water came in his dim eyes and quivers around his mouth; "Do you know the Blue Grass country?" he wished to begin to say,

Then swayed like a willow, sapling, and fainted dead away.

I had him into the log-house, and worked and brought him to; I fed him, and coaxed him, as I thought his mother'd do. And when the lad got better, and the noise in his head was gone, Morgan's men were far away, and galloping, galloping on.

"Oh! I must go," he muttered; "I must be up and away. Morgan, Morgan, is waiting for me, Oh! What will Morgan say? But I heard a sound of tramping and kept him back from the door; The ringing sound of horses' hoofs that I had heard before."

And on, on came the soldiers—the Michigan cavalry—And fast they rode, and black they looked, galloping rapidly; They had followed hard on Morgan's track; they had followed day and night; But of Morgan and Morgan's raiders they had not caught a sight.

And rich Ohio sat startled through all the night; For strange wild men were galloping over her broad highways. Now here, now north, now east, now west Through river-valleys and corn-land farms, sweeping away her best.

A bold ride and a long ride! But they were taken at last; They almost reached the river by galloping hard and fast; But the boys in blue were upon them ere they gained the ford, And Morgan, Morgan, the raider, laid down his terrible sword.

Well, I kept the boy till evening, kept him against his will, But he was too weak to follow, and sat there pale and still; When it was cool and dusky, you'll wonder to hear me tell, But I stole down to that gully, and brought up Kentucky Belle.

I kissed the star on her forehead—my pretty, gentle lass; But I knew that she'd be happy back in the old Blue Grass. A suit of clothes of Conrad's—with all the money I had, And Kentucky, pretty Kentucky, I gave to the worn-out lad.

I guided him to the southward as well as I knew how; The boy rode off with many thanks, and many a backward bow; And then the glow it faded, and my heart began to bow, As down the glen away she went, my lost Kentucky Belle.

When Conrad came in the evening, the house was shining high; Baby and I were both crying—I couldn't tell him why; But a battered suit of rebel gray was hanging on the wall, And a thin old horse, with drooping head stood in Kentucky's stall.

Well, he was kind, and never once said a hard word to me; He knew I couldn't help it—'twas all for the Tennessee. But, after the war was over, just think what came to pass, A letter, sir, and the two were safe back in the old Blue Grass.

The lad had got across the border, riding Kentucky Belle; And Kentucky she was thriving, and fat, and hearty and well. He cared for her and kept her, nor touched her with whip or spur; Ah! we've had many horses, but never a hor like her.

—CONSTANCE FENIMORE WOOLSON. Easter in '59. When did Easter come in 1859? On April 24, April 25 is the latest possible date on which Easter can fall.

Its Dimensions. What would be the required dimensions of a box to contain two hundred pounds of gun-cotton? A SUBSCRIBER. Gun cotton is compressed into slabs or cakes, looking like fluffy white soap, so that one pound occupies very little room. Fifty pounds are packed in a box about two feet long by one foot broad and nine inches high.

Letter to Chancery Court. Please inform me how to address a letter to the Court of Chancery England or Wales? N. G. G. There is only one court of chancery for both England and Wales. Address your letter: "Kenneth A. Muir Mackenzie, Esq., O. C. C. B., Clerk of the Crown in Chancery, House of Lords, London, England."

When He Died. In what year did the poet Longfellow die? What were some of his latest works? O. A. H. Longfellow died in 1882, on March 24, being rather more than seventy-five years old. His latest works were "Mortuus Salutatus" (1875), "Keramos," etc. (1875), "Ultima Thule" (1880) and "In the Harbor," part II of Ultima Thule (1883).

Fast Runners. What country owns the swiftest cruiser? And what country owns the swiftest torpedo boat? A. Y. N. The United States owns the swiftest cruiser in its Columbia, which has traveled 228 knots in an hour. Great Britain owns the fastest torpedo boat, in its Havock, which has gone more than thirty knots in an hour.

The First Bicycle. Who invented the first bicycle, and when? There were velocipedes and "dandy horses" or "hobby horses" in the last century and early in this century, but the credit for inventing the modern bicycle probably lies between two Scotchmen, Gavin Dalziel, a cooper of Lesmahagow, and Kirkpatrick McMillan, of Dumfriesshire. They both had bicycles about the same time—1840-'45.

Best Patent Leather. Which country makes the best patent leather? We think that in practice each country makes the best patent leather for its own use. For instance American patent leather wears better in this country than imported patent leather of the same grade, because ours is made to stand our climate. So foreign patent leather stands the foreign climate better than ours.

To Die By-Lashes. Kindly name some good permanent dye for the eye-lashes, that will not injure them? JENNIE K. S. There is no permanent dye for the hair. You have omitted to say what color you want the dye to be, but we assume that it is black. The most harmless or least harmful dye is probably lamp black or burnt cork or kohl, which the East Indian women use.

The Senate Committee. By whom are the Senate Committees appointed, by the Vice-President, or by the President pro tem? N. W. By the Senate itself. Vacancies in the committees are filled by election. The Senate is a continuing body, so that though vacancies occur in the committees from time to time, the entire list of committees never has to be reconstituted, as is the case in the House. So the Senate simply elects members to fill the vacancies.

Appropos of Brazil. Who is President of Brazil? Where can I get a history of Brazil? HOLDTHWAITE. The President of the Republic of Brazil is Dr. Prudente José de Moraes Barros, elected in November 1894. Order it through a bookseller. We think that a hand-book on Brazil, is published by the Bureau of American Republics in Washington, at cost.

A Possibility. Is it possible for a gymnast to turn three complete flying somersaults in the air? L. H. A. Yes, it has been accomplished, although a number of short stories have been written in which the impossibility of the feat is the main point. But it is too perilous a feat to be regularly included in the work of even the most daring gymnast. At a circus performance in New York city last month, a gymnast attempted it, fell and was crippled, probably for life. Compared with the experience of most others who have tried it, he was fortunate, for it has many times been fatal.

Through in a Barrel. Did any one ever go over Niagara Falls in a barrel? Did any one ever go through the rapids? H. P. L. A man named Carlisle D. Graham is said to have gone over the falls in a barrel some years ago; before that he had been once or twice through the rapids in a barrel. He made his alleged attempt on September 1, 1889. On September 7, 1889, Steve Brodie said he also went over. Brodie did not go; Graham may perhaps have done so.

Father Ryan. Please give me some reminiscences of Father Ryan? Please tell me something of his private or home life and some anecdotes of him? C. G. We can give no reminiscences of Father Ryan. He was born in Norfolk, Virginia, in 1829, became a priest and served as chaplain in the Confederate army until the end of the war. In 1865 he wrote "The Conqueror's Banner," and then was pastor in New Orleans, Knoxville, Augusta and Mobile. In 1889 he published his poems in Baltimore, lectured without much success, traveled around the South until his death, April 22, 1896. It is said his epic "The Story of the South" relates to himself, in some respects.

Who Did It? Who defeated Napoleon at the battle of Waterloo? The Germans claim Blücher the victor, while Englishmen say Wellington? Which is correct? A. C. E. Wellington being in chief command, must receive the credit for the victory. But even the English admit Blücher's great share in the defeat of Napoleon. "Blücher" says a recognized authority, "appeared on the field just as Wellington repulsed the last attack of Napoleon. At that critical moment Blücher was seen emerging from the wood of Fricourt on the French right; and the simultaneous irresistible charge converted the French retreat into a tumultuous flight." If Blücher had not arrived, the French would have been defeated, not routed and crushed as they were.

On what fingers are rings worn? Is Herbert Spencer still living? A. E. Fingers are worn on the third and fourth fingers of both hands as a rule; an old fashion not followed now to any extent, was to wear rings on the first and second fingers, too. The third finger of the left hand is the "ring finger" on which the engagement ring and the wedding ring are worn; it is in the hand of a very intimate connection with the heart, though doctors don't know of any. A bishop wears his official ring on the fore-finger of his right hand; he is the only person who wears a ring on that finger regularly. Herbert Spencer is still living.

Their Religions. 1. The King of Greece and his sister differ on religion; what are their respective religions? The King of Greece and his wife are of different religions; he is a Lutheran, and his wife is a Christian. The number of the Greek church. So too, the King George's sister, the Dowager Empress of Russia, who became an Orthodox Christian when she married the Grand Duke Alexander, afterwards Alexander III, in 1859.

Admit Women. What medical colleges north and south admit women on an equality with men? Are there medical colleges exclusively for women, and where located? P. The following universities maintain medical colleges to which women are admitted as students: Boston University; Columbia, New York city; University of Colorado, Boulder; Lake Forest, Ill.; New York University, New York city; Northeastern, Evanston, Ill.; State University of Iowa City, Syracuse University, New York; Tufts, Mass.; Tulane, New Orleans; University of California; University of Denver; University of Michigan; University of Minnesota; University of Nebraska; University of Pennsylvania; University of Tennessee; University of Wisconsin; Vanderbilt University, Nashville; Western University, Cleveland; Western University of Pennsylvania, Allegheny. The Women's Medical College of New York is for women exclusively.

Two Here. How is the Atlantic cable constructed? Why is the Turkish empire called the Ottoman empire? O. H. The core of a cable is of hempen rope; around this the telegraph wires are carefully insulated are coiled, tarred rope is wound around the wires; a sheathing of iron wire is then laid on around the core and the cable is wrapped in tarred canvass. The deep sea cable is only about an inch in diameter. The shore ends are much heavier; there is an extra covering of wire, extra wrapping and extra carvass, all to protect the cable from chafing on the rocks. It is the empire of the Ottoman Turks—those Turks who 600 years ago were ruled by Sultan Osman or Ottoman. This Sultan laid the foundation for the power of the Turks, and his descendants ruled from Constantinople was captured in 1453 and still are the sultans of the Ottoman Turk.

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NEWS OF MANCHESTER. DEATH OF MR. MONTRAVILLE STARKES FRIDAY.

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a number of her companions in her parents' yard yesterday morning, and in falling she fractured her left collar bone. Dr. Lawrence Ingram, the family physician, was summoned, and rendered the necessary medical attention.

Rev. Ben. Dennis will fill his pulpit at Middle Memorial church, at both services to-day—11 A. M. and 8 P. M. At the night service, he will preach a special sermon on the subject of "Love not the World," and at night his subject will be "Repentance." He is requested to preach on the latter subject. Meetings are still in progress with promising results.

Services at West-End church to-day: Sunday school at 9:30 A. M., services at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. by the pastor, Rev. W. T. Williams. Epworth League meetings at 7 and 7 P. M. All invited.

Rev. J. T. Lumpkin will preach at Leader Hall this afternoon at 3 o'clock. The meetings at Leader Hall are growing in interest. Good music by the choir at each service. Every body cordially invited.

The Rev. Mr. Sullivan, of Oak Grove church, will make an address before the Baptist Young People's Union of Chesapeake and Potomac Rivers at 7 o'clock to-night at the church this afternoon.

Daughters of the American Revolution. The regular monthly meeting of the Daughters, American Revolution, was held May 15th, in their rooms at the Victoria Historical Society.

The first subject of interest was the financial success of the Loan Exhibition. The "artistic" success there has never been but one opinion. The treasurer reported that the sum received was \$381.

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A hearty vote of thanks was directed to be sent to Mrs. Herbert A. Claiborne, chairman of the Loan Exhibition, which has brought about all the good work, and to Mr. W. G. Stannard, without whose invaluable assistance, they truly think they would never have accomplished it.

Birthday Party. A delightful party was given last Thursday by Mr. and Mrs. Goddin, at their residence, 110 North Twenty-ninth street in commemoration of the seventeenth anniversary of the birthday of the brother of Mrs. Goddin, John Ginneth.

Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Goddin, Mr. Goddin, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. LeClair, Misses Sarah Genneth, Maggie LeClair, Mattie Coghill, Zelma Goddin, Annie Hart, Maria Ball, Lella Myers, Ida LeClair, Estelle Graves and Rev. J. C. Collier.

Messrs. Samuel T. LeClair, Salvatore Cassetta, John LeClair, John Genneth, Robert Saunders, Charles Whitmore, Gordon Smith, Bennie Wyatt, Robert Wharton, Robert LeClair, Willie and Arthur Brown, and Ernest Genneth.

Mr. Samuel LeClair acted as master of ceremonies. Games were indulged in until a late hour, and refreshments were served. The guests returned home delighted with the evening of enjoyment well spent.

Revival Services. The revival services at the Methodist church at Barton Heights were well attended Friday night, in spite of the rain. Rev. L. W. Guyer preached.

These meetings have been in progress for the past two weeks. Mr. Guyer has preached every night with great results. The doors of the church will be opened to-day for the reception of members.

Rev. L. W. Guyer will preach at 11 o'clock and again at 8 o'clock, after which the meetings will be closed.

The public is cordially invited to attend—especially the young men.

Resigned From the Military. The resignations of Captain L. L. Archibald of Newmarket, Virginia, Company C, 4th Regiment Infantry, and of Captain Julian R. Tennant, Quartermaster of the First Regiment Infantry, have been accepted by the Commander-in-Chief.

Captain Archibald resigns from the military service because he intends to move out of the State. Captain Tennant has served for seventeen years and at his own request will be placed on the retired list.

Paid Off Teachers. The School Board of Tuckahoe District met yesterday morning at the county courthouse and paid off the teachers of the district for the term.

The Board of Patrick District also met and transacted some routine business. The teachers of the district received the pay due them at this time, but the term will continue for two more weeks.

Will Supply Reports. Mr. Edward A. Evans, the director of the weather bureau, in the State Library building, desires to have it understood that persons who wish to receive copies of the daily weather forecasts in the interest of their business, will be furnished with them if they are willing to display them for public use.

Bishop Newton at Monumental. Right Rev. John B. Newton, Bishop Coadjutor of the Diocese of Virginia, will preach and confirm a class at the Monumental church this afternoon at 5 o'clock. It is his second visitation to this church this spring.

Unveiling of Portraits of Prominent Men. STEVENSVILLE, VA., May 15.—Special.—It was Judge T. R. B. Wright who conceived the idea of decorating the walls of the courthouses of the Ninth Circuit, with the portraits of the prominent men of the respective counties, a brief mention of which was made in to-day's Times.

After a very extensive correspondence and systematic effort to interest others and procure portraits this occasion was selected for unveiling the portraits procured.